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**ASSIGNMENT**

Robert A. Rubino, residing at 296 Weigold Road, Tolland, CT 06084, a citizen of United States of America; Patricia Dawson, residing at 22 Wallbridge Road, Paxton, MA 01612, a citizen of United States of America and Kevin A. Tabor, residing at 5 West Hollow Lane, Webster, MA 01570, a citizen of United States of America, (hereafter jointly and severally referred to as the undersigned), are the inventors of

**RUGGEDIZED OPTICAL FIBER REARRANGEMENT DEVICE**

for which the undersigned have executed an application for United States Letters Patent, U.S. Patent Application No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_, 200\_\_.

Schott Corporation, a Maryland corporation, having a principal place of business at 3 Odell Plaza, Yonkers, NY 10701, (hereafter referred to as the assignee), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in said invention, all applications for and all letters patent issued on said invention.

For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is acknowledged, the undersigned, intending to be legally bound, do hereby sell, assign and transfer to the assignee and assignee's successors, assigns and legal representatives the entire right, title and interest in said invention and all patent applications thereon, including, but not limited to, the application for United States Letters Patent entitled as above, and all divisions and continuations thereof, and in

all letters patent, including all reissues and reexaminations thereof, throughout the world, including the right to claim priority under the Paris Convention or other treaty.

It is agreed that the undersigned shall be legally bound, upon request of the assignee, to supply all information and evidence relating to the making and practice of said invention, to testify in any legal proceeding relating thereto, to execute all instruments proper to patent the invention throughout the world for the benefit of the assignee, and to execute all instruments proper to carry out the intent of this instrument.

The undersigned warrant that the rights and property herein conveyed are free and clear of any encumbrance.

EXECUTED under seal on this 12 day of February, 2004  
at Vernon Ct.  
(Place)

Witness:

Joseph D. Courtney

Robert A. Rubino (L.S.)  
Robert A. Rubino

State of Connecticut

County of Tolland

ss.

On this 12 day of February, 2004 before me personally appeared Robert A. Rubino, to me known to be the person described herein and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same knowingly and willingly and for the purposes therein contained.

Witness my hand and Notarial seal the day and year immediately above written.

Joseph D. Courtney  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

**JOSEPH D. COURTNEY**  
**NOTARY PUBLIC**  
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES NOV. 30, 2008

EXECUTED under seal on this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2004  
at \_\_\_\_\_  
(Place)

Witness:

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 (L.S.)  
Patricia Dawson

State of

ss.

County of

On this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2004 before me personally appeared Patricia Dawson, to me known to be the person described herein and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that she executed the same knowingly and willingly and for the purposes therein contained.

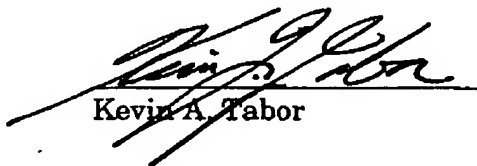
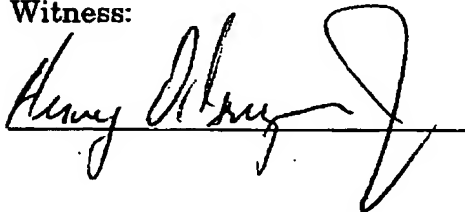
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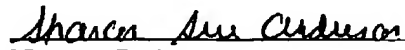
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Witness my hand and Notarial seal the day and year immediately above  
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